BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: August 16, 2006	Division: Housing & Community
Bulk Item: Yes No _X	Department: Housing & Community Development
	Staff Contact Person: <u>James R. "Reggie" Paros</u>
AGENDA ITEM WORDING: Guidance and discussion on possible changes to Comprehensive Plan and Land Development Regulations for affordable housing development regarding (1) 35' Height Limitations, (2) Parking Requirements (3) Density (4) Floor Area Ratio (FAR)	
ITEM BACKGROUND: See attached Additional Information Memo	
PREVIOUS RELEVANT BOCC ACTION: On May 18, 2005, Board approved the creation of the Workforce Housing Committee. CONTRACT/AGREEMENT CHANGES: N/A	
TOTAL COST: N/A	BUDGETED: Yes No
COST TO COUNTY:	SOURCE OF FUNDS:
REVENUE PRODUCING: Yes No N	N/A AMOUNT PER MONTH Year
APPROVED BY: County Attorney <u>N/A</u> O	MB/Purchasing N/A Risk Management N/A
DIVISION DIRECTOR APPROVAL: <u>James R. "Reggie" Paros</u>	
DOCUMENTATION: Included X	Not Required
DISPOSITION:	AGENDA ITEM #

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION MEMO

TO: Monroe County Board of County Commissioners

FROM: James R. "Reggie" Paros, Director

Housing and Community Development Florida Keys Marathon Airport Manager

SUBJECT: Agenda Item re: Possible Changes for Comprehensive Plan and Land

Development Regulations

DATE: August 1, 2006

The Workforce Housing Task Force has determined that significant impediments exist for the continued development of affordable housing in Monroe County, due to Comprehensive Plan height limitations, parking regulations, density requirements and floor area ratios. The Workforce Housing

Task Force requests guidance and direction from the Board for pursuit of any Comprehensive Plan and

Land Development Regulations changes for affordable housing, concerning these issues.